NORTHEAST IOWA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Computer Science & Security Exploration Academy

Instructors: Gary Cross & Manzoor Murshed   Credits: 22   Location: Calmar, IT Building   Entry: Fall Semester

The Computer Science & Security Exploration Academy is designed for students with analytical skills and technological experience. The academy consists of a sequence of Placement in College Credit (PICC) courses that can be used towards degree completion in the NICC Computer Science & Security Associate of Applied Science or transfer credits into a four-year university computer science program.

FALL 2024 Aug. 22-Dec. 18	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
CIS:125 Intro to Programming Logic with Language	8-9:55 am		8-9:55 am		
ELT:317 Digital Logic Circuits	10-11:25 am		10-11:25 am		
NET:266 CCNA Routing & Switching		8-9:50 am		8-9:50 am	
NET:453 UNIX		10 am-Noon		10 am-Noon	
SPRING 2025 Jan. 13 to May 14	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
CIS:142 Computer Science	7:30-10:20 am		7:30-10:20 am		
NET:272 Switching, Routing & Wireless Essentials		8-10:20 am		8-10:20 am	
ELT:210 Digital Circuits	10:30 am-Noon	10:30 am-Noon	10:30 am-Noon	10:30 am-Noon	

ACADEMY CHECKLIST

Orientation

☐ Attend a mandatory orientation to meet your instructor(s) and learn student expectations.

NICC Student Accounts

☐ Log in to your MyCampus account.

mycampus.nicc.edu

☐ In MyCampus, search for Brightspace. Log in to Brightspace to access your course(s).

College and Career Connection

☐ Complete the College and Career Connection application to participate in Career Exploration and Work-Based Learning events.

Meet with Your College and Career Coach

☐ Assist you with accessing your student accounts and college resources.

☐ Confirm your enrollment in the upcoming semester's academy course(s).

☐ Discuss program completion opportunities and Iowa's Last-Dollar Scholarship.

nicc.edu/scholarships

Work-Based Learning

☐ Participate in Work-Based Learning opportunities during spring break.

Academic Performance

☐ Review the course syllabus on Brightspace.

☐ Maintain a cumulative 2.0 grade point average.

REMINDERS:

- Transportation. You are responsible for travel to and from academy courses.
- Academic Calendar. Your course(s) will follow the College's academic calendar for start/end dates and breaks.
- Weather & Campus Closure Policy. Understand your instructor's inclement weather and cancellation policy.
- Student Accounts. Log in to MyCampus > Self-Service to access your personal account information.
- Registration Deadlines. Be aware of your school district's registration timeline.
- Textbooks & Supplies. Confirm with your counselor what textbooks and supplies you are responsible to obtain for your course.
- Withdrawal Policy. Know the College's last day to withdraw from your course(s) and related high school policies.

Curriculum is subject to change at any time based on instructor availability, student demand as well as cooperation and communication of institutional needs of Northeast Iowa Community College and participating school districts.